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REMARKS

This is a preliminary amendment to the application filed Oct. 22, 2003.

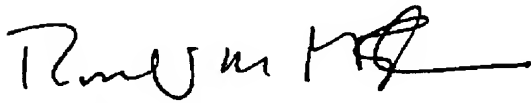
The amendment amends claim 1 only. The claim contained a double recitation of the word "attached," which was grammatically incorrect. The amendment deletes one of the two recitations. This is a formality and does not change the meaning of the claim.

Despite the de minimus correction to a single claim, the existing regulations appear to require applicant to re-present in a listing in this amendment all the other sixteen claims in the application.

CLAIM SUMMARY

Claims 1-18 were originally in the application as filed and remain in the application for examination.

Respectfully submitted,



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